

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4205, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. HUNTER OF CALIFORNIA**

At the end of the title XII (page 338, after line 13),
insert the following new section:

1 SEC. 1205. NATO FAIR BURDENSARING.

2 (a) REPORT ON COSTS OF OPERATION ALLIED
3 FORCE.—The Secretary of Defense shall submit to the
4 Committee on Armed Services of the Senate and the Com-
5 mittee on Armed Services of the House of Representatives
6 a report on the costs to the United States of the 78-day
7 air campaign known as Operation Allied Force conducted
8 against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia during the pe-
9 riod from March 24 through June 9, 1999. The report
10 shall include the following:

11 (1) The costs of ordnance expended, fuel con-
12 sumed, and personnel.

13 (2) The estimated cost of the reduced service
14 life of United States aircraft and other systems par-
15 ticipating in the operation.

16 (3) Whether and how the United States is being
17 compensated by other North Atlantic Treaty Organi-
18 zation member nations for the costs of Operation Al-
19 lied Force, including a detailed accounting of the es-
20 timated monetary value of peacekeeping and recon-



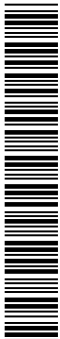
1 struction activities undertaken by those member na-
2 tions to partially or wholly compensate the United
3 States for the costs of such operation.

4 (b) REPORT ON COST SHARING OF FUTURE NATO
5 OPERATIONS.—Whenever the North Atlantic Treaty Or-
6 ganization undertakes a military operation with the par-
7 ticipation of the United States, the Secretary of Defense
8 shall submit to the Committee on Armed Services of the
9 Senate and the Committee on Armed Services of the
10 House of Representatives a report describing—

11 (1) how the costs of that operation are to be eq-
12 uitably distributed among the North Atlantic Treaty
13 Organization member nations; or

14 (2) if the costs of the operation are not equi-
15 tably distributed, but are to be borne disproportion-
16 ately by the United States, how the United States
17 is to be compensated by other North Atlantic Treaty
18 Organization member nations.

19 (c) TIME FOR SUBMISSION OF REPORT.—A report
20 under subsection (b) shall be submitted not later than 30
21 days after the beginning of the military operation, except
22 that the Secretary of Defense may submit the report at
23 a later time if the Secretary determines that such a delay
24 is necessary to avoid an undue burden to ongoing oper-
25 ations.



1 (d) APPLICABILITY.—Subsection (b) shall apply only
2 with respect to military operations begun after the date
3 of the enactment of this Act.

